



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Richard Marc LIBMAN

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Products and Services**

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Sir:

In reply to the final Office Action dated **July 29, 2003** (PTO Prosecution File Wrapper Paper No. 21), Applicant submits the following Remarks. Also being filed herewith is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.